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Applicant:	XING Su et al.	Conf. No. :	8780
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Title:	PROGRAMMABLE MOLECULAR BARCODES		

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action, dated June 10, 2009, finally rejecting claims 1-3, 5, 7, 9-14 and 35-41, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.